Statement

Funds Transferred to Jammu and Kashmir by Ministry of Finance during 1991- *91 to* 94-95

(Rs. in Crores)

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(i) Normal Central assistance . .	709.87	785.70	769.39	835.55
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(iv) Border Areas Development Programme	0.00	0.00	14.00	17.50
(v) Advance Plan Assistance . . .	0.00	0.00	234.00	0.00
(vi) Central assistance for Centrally sponsored Schemes transferred to States . .	0.00	0.00	0.63	1.71
(vii) Special Central Plan assistance . .	0.00	0.00	0.00	973.00
Non-Plan				
(i) Share in Central Taxes . . .	413.12	495.73	508.47	562.52 (BE)
(ii) Grant-in-lieu of Railway Passenger fare tax	0.78	0.78	0.78	0.72
(iii) Loan against Small Savings. . .	39.27	42.49	59.06	50.00*
(iv) Non-Plan Revenue deficit grant . .	211.47	221.16	217.81	222.89
(v) Natural Calamity/Calamity Relief Fund	9.00	13.50	4.50	9.00

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Money given to J&K as aid and grant

1604. SHRI O. P. KOHLI: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the money given to Jammu and Kashmir as aid and (grant during the last three years and its proportionate allocations to the region of Jammu and Ladakh;

(b) whether crores of rupees given as aid and grants have been misused in the Valley as the same was pocketed by politicians, officials and anti-social elements; and

(c) if so, the action taken or proposed to fee taken to ensure that equal development of the three regions of the State is made by making region-wise allotment of funds?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE (SHRI BHUVNESH CHATURVEDI): (a) Details of funds transferred to J&K by the Centre on plan and Non-Plan schemes are given in the Statement *(See* below). Transfer of funds is not made region-wise.

(b) There have however, been allegations from time to time of alleged involvement/connivance of some State Government Officials with militants, and of misuse of funds meant for developmental activities in the

State. However, it is not possible or feasible to give any figures or estimates of funds which may have been allegedly misutilised. Whenever specific complaints are received, appropriate inquiries are conducted, including inquiries by the Vigilance Department. The State Government has been advised to further strengthen and intensify the activities of the Vigilance Department. The Government of India has also advised the State Government to ensure proper utilisation of funds through close monitoring and supervision of works and enhanced accountability.

(c) The State Government takes all possible steps to ensure that all three regions of the State are given due attention for development, keeping in view the geographical, climatic and other considerations as also the specific needs of these regions.

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